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KODIAK COMMERCIAL HERRING FOOD/BAIT FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT #5 **For Emergency Orders #4-FH-K-24-22**

The Eastside District (F/B 8) will close to commercial herring fishing at noon Thursday, November 17.

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G) is allowing permit holders to conduct a commercial herring food/bait fishery under the following guidelines:

- 1) Only one vessel will be allowed to fish for the combine at any time.
- 2) Each district will open and close by emergency order from the ADF&G management biologist on the fishing grounds or at the Kodiak ADF&G Office.
- 3) Each district will be closed for the remainder of the season when the guideline harvest level (GHL) is reached.

The Alitak District (F/B 7) opened to commercial herring fishing at noon, November 01, 2022, and remain open until further notice. The food/bait GHL for the Alitak District is 40 tons.

The remainder of the Kodiak Area will stay closed to commercial herring fishing. Recent fishery information may be obtained at the Kodiak ADF&G office.